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# STATEMENT TO SUPPORT FILING AND SUBMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed on April 1, 2004, enclosed is a corrected paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" as well as a corrected computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" disclosed in the above-identified patent application, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e), respectively.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), Applicant respectfully submits that the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g), Applicant respectfully submits that the attached paper copy and the attached computer readable copy of the "Sequence Listing" contain no new matter. In accordance with § 1.821(g) and the above-mentioned Notice to File

Corrected Application Papers, Applicant has made corrections to the numeric identifiers in the "Sequence Listing" but has made no changes to the sequence data.

## CONCLUSION

Please proceed to examine the patent application submitted on the above-noted filing date along with the sequence listings both attached hereto in paper form and included herewith in computer readable form.

If it should be determined, for any reason, that an insufficient fee has been paid, please charge any insufficiency to ensure consideration of the present application to Deposit Account No. 03-3975.

Respectfully submitted,

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